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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WILL SUPPLEMENT SALARY OF MAN TO WORK IN PONTOTOC COUNTY.

A very important move was made by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce last evening when they decided to take steps to co-operate with the government in the employment of a county demonstrator, whose duty it will be to render assistance to all the farmers of the county who desire the benefit of his services. The directors wired the department that the organization would agree to pay \$300 per annum of the salary of an expert, the government paying \$600.

This is one of the most important moves ever made in the interest of improved conditions in Pontotoc county. Under the direction of a man who has devoted years to the study of scientific methods, nothing but blind prejudice can prevent the farmers of this county from taking front rank in the procession, and that, too, without the outlay of a cent on their part. The agent will not be a book farmer, whose only knowledge of the science of agriculture was gathered while studying within brick walls, but he will be a practical farmer whose methods are based on experience.

The Chamber of Commerce has certainly done its part, and it is now up to the farmers of the county to work out ways and means of improving their crops and methods of cultivation. Furthermore, with a man devoting his entire time to the work, a strong organization of the farmers of Pontotoc county can be effected and with united action the county can be developed at a rate hitherto undreamed of.

CRUCE ASKS GOVERNORS ABOUT DEATH PENALTY

Oklahoma City, Ok., Aug. 1.—Night letters went to the governors of all states from Gov. Cruce, asking whether the death penalty is inflicted, whether trial judges impose the death penalty if such is permitted and how many lynchings the state has had. Replies are in from all but seventeen. The death penalty is not inflicted in Kansas, Michigan, Maine, Rhode Island and Wisconsin. About half the replies say the trial judge may im-

pose the sentence and Tennessee, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Florida and Kentucky are states admitting that lynchings have occurred therein. Gov. Cruce is gathering the statistics in view of criticism resulting from his action in the Prather case and when tabulated the statement will be given to the public. The governor said a few days ago that although he believed in capital punishment only in cases of criminal assault he did not contemplate recommending to the next legislature that it be so abolished.

CHIEF HOUNSHELL FOUND GUILTY

The case in the justice court against Chief Hounshell on a charge of striking Mrs. Evans during a raid on the Evans place not long ago in search of bootleg whiskey. The evidence was about the same as before, except that three new witnesses appeared and gave testimony favorable to the chief. The jury returned a verdict of guilty and assessed the penalty at a fine of \$50 and ten days in jail. Of course an appeal will be taken to the county court. An appeal bond was quickly signed and the case thus disposed of until county court meets.

Following is a list of the jurymen who signed the verdict: W. B. Sanders, S. A. Lucallen, J. S. Mazemore, J. A. Williams, J. G. Rollins, R. H. Bradley did not agree with the majority and refused to sign the verdict.

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RETURNS BY DISTRICTS OF THE SCHOLASTIC POPULATION OF PONTOTOC COUNTY TOTAL OF 8,559.

As already stated the scholastic census of Pontotoc county shows a total of 8,559 whites, the negro rolls not yet being complete. Following is the enumeration by districts:

District No.		
1	Allen	334
2	McCall	90
3	Francis	374
4	Tyrola	67
5	Bebee	119
6	Maxwell	196
7	Galey	94
8	Springbrook	57
9	Lanham	94
10	Center	202
11	Egypt	105
12	Oakman	120
13	Happyland	92
14	Blackrock	77
15	Palestine	61
16	Boggy	62
17	Conway	108
18	Homer	137
19	Ada	1615
20	Forked Creek	130
21	Colbert	145
22	Vanoss	191
23	Union Valley	105
24	Knox	128
25	Price	59
26	Ahlso	70
27	Lovelady	102
28	Haskell	29
29	Lula	102
30	Stonewall	276
31	Frisco	152
32	Rocky Chapel	76
33	Fitzhugh	151
34	Lightning Rodge	138
35	Hart	104
36	Dolberg	119
37	Roff	501
38	Laxton	90
39	Franks	77
40	Jesse	109
41	Burrow	106
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50	Latta	51
51	New Bethel	74
52	Lawrence	64
53	Canyon Spring	68
54	Pecan Grove	95
55	Steedman	102
56	Blue Mound	61
57	Hutchins Chapel	54
58		45
59		69
60		90
61		70
	Joint Dist. No. 1	65

Cotton Growers Sure of 10c.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 2.—The Boston News Bureau tonight says that 10c cotton is practically assured unless great disaster befalls the incoming crop. Its reports from all over the South are of the most optimistic sort. Georgia will raise the largest crop in its history.

Four million bales are freely predicted for Texas, and Oklahoma is good for not far from one million bales.

Some experts say the production has been greatly underestimated by the government, and that it is possible to harvest fifteen million bales. Anything like this would mean cotton below 10c.

Further Curtailment Probable.

On the other hand, it is the general opinion in cotton mill circles that a further curtailment of mill operations will be necessary through August and well into September.

The recent break in raw cotton has not helped the goods situation, as buyers have become cautious and there is an abnormally light demand for goods.

SENATE AMENDS FREE LIST BILL

BAILEY VOTES WITH REPUBLICANS AND DEFEATS HOUSE BILL—COMPROMISES ARE EFFECTED.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The house free list bill with free meats, free flour, free lumber, free farm products and free implements for the farmers, adopted overwhelmingly by a democratic house failed to pass in the Senate today by one vote.

If Senator Bailey of Texas had cast his vote with the democrats, instead of with the united reactionary and insurgent republicans, the bill would have passed by two majority.

Falls of Majority.

The vote was a tie, 39 to 39, and thus failed to obtain a majority. Senator Bailey was the only democrat who voted with the united republicans Messrs. Simmons of North Carolina and Paynter of Kentucky did not follow the junior Senator from Texas to the extent of voting against the democratic house bill, and had Mr. Bailey voted with the democrats the bill would have been carried by a vote of 40 to 38. It could have been enrolled, signed by the senate and house presiding officers and passed up to President Taft before nightfall.

Reciprocal Feature of Bill.

In its stead there was passed in the senate a bill based largely on the lines of the house bill, but providing that meats, flour and farm products shall be admitted free from countries with which we have reciprocal trade relations and which shall admit duty free our cotton, corn, wheat, oats horses cattle and hogs. If Canada passes the reciprocity pact this would refer solely to Canada. At present its effect is to strike out altogether free meats, flour and farm products. Three other changes were made in the house bill. Cement, alleged to be controlled by a subsidiary of the Steel Trust, is added to free list, and the house provision in regard to farming machinery is extended to specifically name binders as well as harvesters, while the free leather provision is extended to leather from the skins of all animals, instead from the hides of cattle and calves. Free lumber and all other articles mentioned in the house free list bill are put on the senate bill free list.

SPECIAL LETTER FROM WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C., August 2.—Following up their victory of June 21st when they united on Senator Gore's motion to direct the once powerful Finance Committee to report to the senate the wool revision bill as passed by the democratic house, the democrats and insurgent republicans last Thursday again combined their strength, and compelled the senate to accept the LaFollette substitutes for the house bill, by a vote of 48 to 32. The LaFollette bill as passed reduces the tariff on raw and manufactured wool on an average of about 33 per cent and the insurgent leader calculates that it will save the public \$172,000,000 yearly.

Democrats Loyal to Principles.

The Senate democrats voted against the LaFollette bill when the first vote was taken on it as they favored the greater reductions made by the house bill, but when the house bill was defeated by the republicans the democrats promptly rallied to the support of LaFollette and brought about a reconsideration of the vote and forced through his compromise measure. It is freely predicted that the senate and house conferees will be able to agree on a measure somewhere between the LaFollette bill as passed by the senate and the house bill, thereby giving the president an opportunity to show whether he was sincere when he said that the Aldrich wool schedule was indefensible. The action of the senate has demonstrated that the control of congress by special privilege is ended for the time at least, and that it must look to the president for the preservation of the right to prey upon the public.

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VARDAMAN PROBABLY WINS SENATORSHIP

Jackson, Miss., Aug. 1.—With returns coming in slowly from Monday's democratic primary, the result of the three cornered fight in this state for a seat with John Sharp Williams in the United States senate was largely in doubt at a late hour. The candidates, former governor James K. Vardaman, C. H. Alexander and Senator Leroy Percy, the incumbent, all claim a sufficient number of votes to place them in the second primary if it becomes necessary to hold one. That Major Vardaman will be one of these two candidates if a second primary is held was indicated in the early returns received here. The same returns indicated that the fight between Percy and Alexander for the second primary is a close one, with Alexander showing a small lead. Many precincts gave Vardaman a majority of the total number of votes cast.

east, and other cotton crops nearby look just as bad as his does. Some of his cotton is still young and has plenty of life in it and it is thought that it will have plenty of time to come out and make good cotton yet. It was reported that the hail did some damage to crops about two miles south of town, but not to any great extent.

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The Texas legislature is in special
session and the prohibition fight has
opened there. Some stormy times are
a prospect, and several drastic laws
regulating the liquor traffic will like-
ly be passed.

No matter how badly a man may
uffer at the hands of his enemies to-
ay, he consoles himself with the as-
surance that another day is coming,
and with the hope that that day will
e him. It is some consolation to
ample on one's enemies, if only in
anticipation.

A Georgia woman has applied for
ve pensions because all five of her
usbands were soldiers. Two of them
er killed in the civil war and three
ave died since that time. The woman
sees no reason why she should
ot receive a pension in recognition
f the services of each of them.

R. F. Scivally, one of the commis-
ioners of Carter county, is candi-
ate for a place on the state board of
griculture. A fight is being made on
ne two members whose terms expire
his summer, and when the state
meeting of the institute is held at
Stillwater, a battle royal is sched-
led between the two factions.

The idea some people have of sup-
orting the home merchant is to do
heir cash trading in Chicago and
hen in the close place ask the home
erchant for help. On the other hand,
very often happens that the mer-
hant's idea of supporting the home
aper is to get all he can for noth-
ing out of the paper and send else-
where when he needs any printing
one.

A railroad employee at Richmond,
Virginia has just received a sentence
f three years for stealing \$25,000
rom the company. Wise guy he is. We
ave always contended that when a
an decides to steal he ought to take
ough to put himself back into re-
pectable society. If he had swiped a
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steal we shall want to begin with
about \$50,000. Any smaller sum is safe
around us, for it would not pay to
get off with any less. That much
would raise a man to the rank of col-
onel. It is the contempt people have
for littleness that causes juries to be
hard on men who have no more sense
than to steal something that would
not buy them a week's supply of bug
juice.

Two or three months ago the im-
pression prevailed that there would
not be any sort of a fruit crop worth
mentioning, but contrary to expecta-
tions, it has yielded sufficient to put
the business of shipping on a car load
basis, something that never before oc-
curred in this section. While peaches
are not so numerous on the trees as
last year, their great and unusual
size more than makes up for the lack
in numbers. When it comes to fruit
raising, this section is surpassed by
none.

Observing the freaks played on men
by fame, Thomas Carlisle christened
it the "goose goddess." As a matter of
fact, there is never any way of guess-
ing who will be next to receive a visit
from the goddess. For instance, it has
been only a few days since there lived
in southern Indiana an old man who
never once dreamed that fame was
knocking at his door. Then one day
the census bureau announced that the
center of population of the United
States was in a gully running through
his farm. Since then hundreds of peo-
ple have visited him, stacks of photos
have been made of everything about
the place, and the old farmer's name
and pictures have been printed in
hundreds of papers. Another case in
point is the Indian, Larry Nolegs, the
Osage, who has sprung into fame be-
cause of the suit between the na-
tional government and state over an
Island in the Arkansas river. His
name will be recorded in the archives
of the United States supreme court
before the case is settled.

OKLAHOMA AND THE DRY FARMING CONGRESS

At the request of the officials con-
nected with the International Dry
Farming Congress, which holds its
next meeting in Colorado Springs,
Colorado, October 16-21, I ask the co-
operation of those farmers and citi-
zens of Oklahoma who desire to see
our state represented at the next an-
nual meeting of the congress. Mr. H.
W. Campbell, the father of the dry
farming system, visited Oklahoma and
delivered lectures at the Farmers'
Short Course at Stillwater last Janu-
ary. Could the people of our state
generally have known and grasped
the advantages of the system of cul-
tivation which he advocated, tens of
thousands of dollars would have been
saved each county in our state during
the past dry season. Many did save
their crops by adopting these meth-
ods. Mr. Campbell does not like the
words "dry farming" as a descriptive
term, but since it is best known by
that name, the great national organi-
zation for the development of an agri-
culture peculiar to the Western states
has decided to hold to the name "Dry
Farming." It therefore remains "The
Dry Farming Congress." Dry Farming
really means farming in Western Am-
erica, where no "water table" exists
in the soil as in the Eastern States.
Only surface moisture is to be ex-
pected; that is, moisture to a depth
of less than ten feet. Dry farming
therefore means conservation of mois-
ture. It also has to do with stopping
blowing soils, with fighting insects
peculiar to the west and the problem
of the Russian thistle, with the grow-
ing of alfalfa, milo maize, corn, root
crops and live stock under the gener-
ally dry conditions prevailing. Thou-
sands of claims in the West are "held
down" by adopting dry farming meth-
ods. Mr. Campbell declares that dry
farming means merely scientific farm-
ing for the West. At any rate Oklaho-
ma has "dry spells" or dry seasons
every year.

There will be a meeting of the state
board of agriculture in Oklahoma City
August 10, and I desire to ask the co-
operation of the board in securing an
exhibit for the Dry Farming Con-
gress meeting this fall in Colorado
Springs. But, with the exhibit, dele-
gates from many counties will be
needed, and ask the assistance of
public spirited citizens, Farmers' In-
stitutes, boards of trade and other
commercial bodies in securing the ne-
cessary representation from each
county concerned. Who will go? At
least one hundred delegates from Ok-
lahoma should attend and bring back
with them information and methods
adapted to the West and the South-
west. These delegates can assist ma-
terially in collecting exhibits.
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CHAPTER XI. The Count again
arouses Mrs. Blazes, this time by whis-
tling. She asked him if he had succeeded
in getting her a duplicate of her damaged
hat; he replied in the negative and tells
her all the sheets into strips and tie
them together, so as to make a rope by
which she can escape from the window.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

with all the emphasis and meaning
necessary to convey to him the idea
that she regarded him as a boy.

Then she arose, utterly ignoring a
terrific ripping noise, and stride into
the house with the cold, heartless
tread of a princess. But as she went
up the steps, Pigeon, had he been
watching, would have seen her clutch-
ing nervously at her skirt, while the
ripping went merrily on.

Pigeon got up with an air of gloom,
and grasped his belt in a tight clutch
and marched off, his steps being
timed by staccato rips, which he did
not locate as coming from the room
wherein was Mrs. Blazes.

And in that room Mrs. Blazes was
feverishly tearing and tying strips of
sheets, and towels, and table covers,
together, all unconscious that in her
strenuous efforts to effect her escape
she was creating the first bump upon
the pathway of a young love—but
then love, as Mr. Shakespeare ob-
served long ago, never did run
smooth.

CHAPTER XII.

Mrs. Blazes opened her window at-
tently, and lowered to the ground a
rope that was fearfully and wonder-
fully made. She had used everything
and anything, from pillow slips to the
cords of the portieres. She had
enough rope to let her out of a six-
story building, instead of from a win-
dow a scant twelve feet from the
ground. The end of the rope she tied
to a table near the window. Then
she looked down anxiously.

"It is dangerous," she sighed.
The Count wandered into view. He
was growing weary of waiting for
the hat. At sight of the rope he bright-
ened up.

"Jump out," he suggested.
"Silly!" she said; "I've got to climb
down. Steady the rope."

He took hold of the lower end and
straightened the rope against the
building.

"But how in the world am I to climb
down?" she demanded.

"Led yourself out slow, und den
slide for life," he told her.

Their argument grew more intense.
She was afraid to trust herself to the
frail means of reaching the earth, and
he was insistent that she should come
down at once. In the midst of their
talk the front door opened. Mrs.
Blazes heard the sound and darted
back from the window, taking the
rope in with her so swiftly that she
left the Count standing with his hands
in the air.

Amos Medders came slowly down
the steps, looking intently at the
Count, whom he could not recognize
in the dark. The Count had not heard
him coming and could not understand
why Mrs. Blazes had pulled the rope
in so suddenly.

Count von Fitz was dumbfounded
when he was seized in a grip of iron
and the cold tones of Medders came:

"What are these doing, scoundrel?"

General Blazes came up the walk at
that instant. He had his hat in his
hand and was still laboring under ex-
citement. When he saw Medders strug-
gling with the Count he leaped into
the fray and separated them.

"What's happening?" he asked.

"Well, I am surprised," Medders
said. "I thought this foolish little
man here was a burglar."

"What foolish little man?" Blazes
asked.

"This one they call a Count—this
tutor. I thought he was trying to
break into the house."

"Wouldn't he be surprised if he was,"
Blazes asserted, vehemently. "Isn't
your daughter in there? Isn't Harry's
sister in there? These Counts will do
anything to capture a girl with
money."

"It is not so!" Count von Fitz sput-
tered, rubbing his neck.

"Verily, there has a suspicious look,"
Medders said to him.

"It's a gam dood thing I happened
along," Blazes observed.

"A what, friend?" Medders inquired
curiously.

"A gam dood thing—doesn't count,
you know when you cuss backwards."

"Verily," Medders said, "there be
times when a man could cuss side-
wise."

"Well," Blazes said, turning again
to Count von Fitz. "It's a lucky thing
for you there was nothing in the re-
port that you were with my wife to-
day. I'm a jealous man. I'm desper-
ate when I'm roused."

"Don't rouse!" the Count begged.

"Once," the General said, "I caught
a man flirting with her. What did I
do?"

"Vat did you do?" the Count asked,
weakly.

"They buried his hat," the General
said. "Just his hat! Just his hat!"
"Chust his hat!" the Count echoed.
Mentally he wondered if it had been
a yellow hat with red popples.

"Thou art a man of wrath, General,"
Medders said. "Once I grew angry
at a man—in my youthful days."

"And what did you do to him, man
of peace?" asked the General, laugh-
ing, while the Count listened nervous-
ly.

"In those days," Medders said, "I
was vain of my strength and given to
yielding to my angry passions. I went
unto this man, and I seized him
thus—"

Before the Count could dodge, Med-
ders held him as though in a vise.

"And I said unto him: 'Thou con-
demned wretch, dost thou not know it
is unwise so to conduct thyself in our
midst?' And I smote him thus, and
I shook him thus"—illustrating upon
the helpless Count—"and then I said
unto him that if he offended me again
I should smite him full sore."

"Please," begged the Count, "please
don't remember anything else!"

"I beg thy pardon," Medders said,
contritely. "I did forget myself."

"Come in out of the night air, gen-
tlemen," suggested Harry, who came
to the door just then. The trio, smil-
ing over the unconscious way in which
Medders had shaken the Count, start-
ed in, when a messenger boy arrived.

He carried a large hat box. The
Count tried to intercept him, but Har-
ry was as anxious as the Count to get
that hat.

She turned it out quick enough,"
Harry murmured to himself, paying
the boy the seventy-five dollars that
was called for on delivery. When the
boy had left, Harry chanced to look
at the address and read:

"Count Herman von Fitz. Why, this
hat isn't for me, after all."

"No," the Count said. "I ordered it,
but it isn't for me."

Medders turned and said:

"Is there some mistake, Harry?"

Harry looked at the Count, but that
gentleman was pretty well satisfied
with the situation and made no move
to correct matters.

"No, there isn't any mistake," Har-
ry said.

"Did I understand aright," Medders
asked, "that thee are paying seventy-
five dollars for that hat?"

"I did—without taking chloroform,
too," Harry ruefully acknowledged.

"Some hats are worth that much,"
the Count remarked.

"Sure!" boomed the General. "My
wife often spends more than that for
a hat."

"Is it for thy sister, Harry?" Med-
ders asked, casually.

"I don't know if it will fit her," Har-
ry answered, non-committally.

"Wouldst thee let us see it?" Med-
ders asked. "Truly, a hat worth that
much must be a wonderful thing."

Here the Count nervously inter-
posed, afraid that the General would
become aroused if he saw the hat.

"No, no, no! Der night air might spoil
it!"

"I confess I am curious to see it,"
Medders said. "Ah, what forms the
vanity of women and the foolishness
of man do take!"

From the house came the lank form
of Socrates Primmer. In his hand he
carried the hatbox which all day he
had been endeavoring to open in the
presence of Lucy.

"What is the trouble?" he asked.

"No trouble at all—until you came,"
Harry replied, drily.

"Harry has simply been doing what
I have often done," General Blazes
explained. "He has bought a hat."

Primmer glanced at the hat box
Harry held, and then looked at his
own.

"This then, is for his wife?" he in-
quired, sadly.

"What?" the General said, misun-
derstanding Primmer. "Another man
buy a hat for my wife? How dare
you!"

Primmer shrank away from him.

"Nay," Medders soothed. "The hat
Harry has is for his sister, Carolyn."

"No," Harry corrected him, fearing
some further complication. "The fact
is, I was going to give the hat to
Lucy—with your permission, Mr. Med-
ders. But I didn't like to ask your
permission before all the others here."

"Bully for you, Harry!" the General
beamed. "You couldn't do a finer
thing."

Primmer lapsed into a fit of dejection.

"Alas!" he sobbed. "Homer was
right when he said:

"Alas, faint hope I leaned upon!
Alas, thou too art dead and gone!"

"Cheer him up!" General Blazes
suggested. "Let him see your pres-
ent for Lucy."

"I, too, have a present for Lucy,"
Primmer said.

"Thee hast?" Medders asked. "What
is it, Socrates?"

"A hat," Primmer announced.

Harry leaped to a conclusion. Inst-
antly he coupled Primmer with the
mysterious man who had bought the
duplicate hat at Mile. Daphne's.

"Let's see it," he said.

He opened Primmer's hat box, and
one glance was enough to confirm his
suspicion. He dropped the lid quick-
ly, took the box from Primmer's un-
resisting hold, and said:

"I'll take your hat to Lucy. She'll
be—"

"No. I shall present it to her my-
self," Primmer declared, taking the
box from Harry.

"All right," Harry said. "Don't let
any one profane that hat by seeing it
until it gets to the one for whom it is
intended. And neither will I with
mine. You won't let any one see it?"

"Surely not," Primmer agreed.

"All right. That's a sacred compact.
Let's all go in now."

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Judge C. A. Galbraith was a passenger to Coalgate this morning.

Elberta peaches now ripe at brick plant orchard 1 mile south of town. \$1.50 per bushel. Phone 198. 94-tf

H. C. Thompson returned to Seminole this morning.

Only the Best—let us have your Prescription. Jones Drug Co. 85-tf

J. A. McClure made a business trip to Hickory this morning.

See W. T. Tarkenton if you want a well dressed. Phone 309. 41-dtm

C. M. Chauncey returned this morning from a trip to Tishomingo.

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More light than any other store in town. Light is better than darkness. Crescent Drug Store. 49dtf

Sidney Dismukes made a business trip to Sherman this morning.

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Jno. Crawford made a business trip to McAlester this morning.

Just received complete stock Hudson's Fine Toilet Goods. Jones Drug Co. 85-tf

Mrs. J. A. McConnell left for Tishomingo this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. B. T. Monk.

Beautiful deck filled with new patterns of wallpaper. Holley's Drug Store. 49-dtf

Miss May Gafford, who visited Mrs. Morgan, returned to Sulphur yesterday.

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Mrs. Alton Kile returned from a visit to Durant yesterday afternoon.

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Sanford Sweet left yesterday afternoon for Lawton.

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Mrs. Saffarans left yesterday for Denver, Colo., where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Thad Sutton.

A dollar or two will do when you buy furniture from A. Goldwasser. 301-dtf—51wtf

Mrs. E. L. Steed and children left this morning for Wichita, where they will spend some time visiting.

Everything in Drugs at Jones'. 85tf

Miss Mabel Browall and mother, Mrs. Smith returned last night from a two months visit to Tennessee.

Blaine Gilbraith made a business trip to Holdenville this morning. From there he will go to Claremore for a sojourn of two weeks.

J. C. Barnes and wife passed through this morning en route from Bromide to their home at Sasakwa.

Allen Blackburn of Conway and H. D. Lambert of Steedman were in the city today. Mr. Lambert says that machinery for the new gin is arriving.

Prof. Carl Beck and wife left this afternoon for Oklahoma City, where Mr. Beck has some business to transact for the Ada band.

Yesterday afternoon Porter White brought in the second open boll of cotton of the season. From reports of the farmers it seems that the boll worm will have to hustle if he arrives in time to do much damage this year.

G. G. Davis, who lives south of town left this morning for a trip to Fort Smith, Arkansas. Mr. Davis states that his black land cotton did not stand the drouth as well as the sandy land. While not so well loaded with forms as the sandy land crop, he says it has many young forms and if nothing happens, will make a splendid crop yet.

W. T. Cox our popular and obliging clerk of the district court, left this afternoon for Palmer, Colo., where he will join Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Nethery and take a short vacation. He will keep himself informed of what is going on here by reading the News. He said he did not suppose there would be anything of such interest in the paper, but that perhaps he could find out when it rained if he looked over it carefully enough.

C. W. Redmond who has been employed for sometime with the Mad-ox Drug Co. will leave for Houston, Tex., tomorrow, where he has a good position. Mr. Redmond is a young man of strong character, ability and a courtesy of manner that makes friends wherever he goes. The best wishes of the News and his many friends go with him.

The News has always kept right up to date in the matter of good material and good workmanship and in keeping with this policy has just received a shipment of the very latest and best job type on the market. Give us your next order and see for yourself.

"Private Tips" too well known to need an introduction—the cigar that smokes like 10c but costs only 5c. Ramsey Drug Co. 101-dtf

Francis.

Dave Bellow last week sold his interest in the Wilcoxson & Bellow meat market to Jess Wilcoxson and the firm name hereafter will be Wilcoxson & Son. Mr. Bellow will go to Sasakwa and take charge of a pool hall that he has in that city.

Mr. Robinson has the carpenters at work erecting a bath room in his barber shop on Main Street. This will, when completed, make Mr. Robinson's place one of the most up to date shops of the kind in the county.

The Frisco railroad has completed its coal chute which is a great saving to the company and relief to the men that work on the yard.

H. R. Hochstrasser's vineyard will show to any one who will take the time to examine it that this part of Pontotoc county is a natural fruit country, especially for grapes. Mr. H. is now taking a lay off from the Harvey house to gather and market his

grape crop, his vines having given him a large yield this year.

The Holiness meeting that has been running in the tabernacle on west Main street for the last ten days closed last Sunday night.

L. R. Clark, editor of the Wigwam, was in Sasakwa Saturday on other business as well as in the interest of his paper.

J. R. Chandler who has been in the hospital at Sherman for some time is back at home and off of his crutches.

G. C. Comstock was in our office Monday with five peaches that weighed three pounds and four ounces. This fruit was grown by Mr. Comstock in his orchard here in the incorporated limits of Francis and is an other example that the best of fruit can be raised here if farmers would take the trouble to put out an orchard.

Mrs. Colter & Forbis have moved their barber fixtures from the little building on south side of Main to the Richey building on the corner of Main street and Sixth Avenue. At their new place they will have a larger and more commodious home for their customers. They will very soon put in all the most modern appliance and keep a shop that will grade up to now.

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MODEL BAKERY.

Lanham Clippings.

We have had several good showers here during the past week.

Mrs. Ruth Lanham is ill with appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Lanham and family and Mr. Sanders were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Griffith Sunday.

Mrs. Scott Lanham, Melissa Ruppee and Glennie Griffith were shopping in Ada Wednesday.

Sunday school was well attended

DR. H. H. WYNNE, OCUList, Oklahoma City Specialist of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat will be professionally in Ada, Monday, August 21. Glasses fitted. Inquire of Dr. R. F. King or Mad-Ox Drug Store. One regular monthly visit—3rd Monday each month.

Sunday. Every one is invited to attend.

W. B. Bainze has returned home after an extended visit in Texas.

Mrs. Little returned to her home at St. Louis last week.

Quite a number of the Lanham people attended church at Vanoss Sunday. We thank the people of Vanoss for their kindness and hospitality.

Miss Loretta Burns from Stratford was calling on Mrs. Ruth Lanham Sunday evening.

J. D. Gaar attended the fifth Sunday meeting at Fitzhugh Sunday.

Mrs. Scott Lanham and daughter, Mrs. Ruppee entertained the following guests at dinner Tuesday. Glennie and Gladys Griffith, Eva and Ethel Little Joe Etakats, Henry Little and Guy Griffith. Refreshments were served in the evening and a good time was reported by all.

Shed Blanchett and wife have returned from Allen after a visit of several days.

J. B. Chambers and family from Pauls Valley are visiting relatives here.

Jimmie Lanham made a business trip to Purcell Monday.

Congress of Farm Women.

Colorado Springs, Aug. 1.—Rev. Warren H. Wilson, who has gained fame because of his work in building up country churches, is to attend the International Congress of Farm Women in this city, October 17 to 19. He will bring an exhibit illustrating what the churches are attempting to do in creating interest in religious life among the rural people.

Dr. Wilson gave up a big New York church to undertake this work in the country. The Women's Congress is the first gathering of the kind ever held, and is an outgrowth of the Roosevelt farm commission report. It is an offshoot of the International Dry Farming Congress. Three members of the Roosevelt commission have announced their intention of attending. One session of the program will be given up to the discussion of school and church influence on the farm.

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ELMER BARROW, A SMALL BOY, LEAVES HOME

Yesterday afternoon Elmer, the 11-year-old son of Mrs. W. H. Barrow, disappeared from home and no tidings have come from him. He was last seen near the Katy depot and as he had tried to persuade a companion to run away with him and go to Norman where his grandmother resides, it is thought that possibly he has headed in that direction. His mother is greatly distressed by his disappearance and any information concerning his whereabouts will be greatly appreciated.

In Honor of Miss Lyster.

Mrs. L. J. Crowder, entertained, in honor of her niece Miss Marie Lyster of Weatherford, Texas on Tuesday evening.

The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Crowder was attractively decorated with yellow and white, Miss Lyster's College colors. Mrs. Crowder assisted by her sister, Miss Elgin Fisher, and Miss Betsy Faust received the guests introducing them to Mrs. Crowder's sister-in-law, Mrs. Walker and her daughter Miss Lyster.

Those present were: Misses Grace Hardin, Alta Barringer, Fannie McKinney, Minnie Lou Hill, Maida Charlton, Vallie Price, Vera Giles, Willie Faust, Chambliss Sims, Beatrice Craig and Maude Brents; Messrs. Hugh Biles, Longley Fentem, Lee McKinney, Baxter Oglesby, Frank McCain, Gerome Craddock, Earnest Cassidy and Claud Pitt.

After a delightful evening spent in games a delicious ice course was served.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Oklahoma.

In the matter of S. E. Chapman, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. No. 533. NOTICE OF SALE BY TRUSTEE.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to order of the Referee in Bankruptcy herein, made and entered on the 24th day of July, 1911, the undersigned will, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on Tuesday, the 8th day of August, 1911, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand at the former place of business of said bankrupt in the City of Ada, Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, the entire stock of shoes and fixtures, belonging to said bankrupt estate, invoiced at approximately \$4,300, sale to be subject to confirmation by the Referee in Bankruptcy herein. Prospective purchasers will be given a reasonable opportunity to inspect said stock of goods previous to the hour of sale.

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